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SUBJ: TRAVEL OF GEORGE BALL IN KUWAIT AND QATAR

REF: STATE 77068 (NOTAL)

1. PLEASE PASS FOLLOWING INFO TO GEORGE BALL OF LEHMAN BROTHERS
RE TRIP TO KUWAIT FROM ME:

JANET AND I CORDIALLY INVITE YOU BE OUR HOUSE GUEST WHILE IN KUWAIT. EMBOFF PLANS MEET YOU UPON ARRIVAL. RE YOUR MEETINGS WITH LOCAL BANKERS WE SOMEWHAT CIRCUMSCRIBED BY FACT SOME KEY INDIVIDUALS OUT OF TOWN OR UNAVAILABLE. NEVERTHELESS, WE HAVE SET-UP FIVE APPOINTMENTS ON SATURDAY, APRIL 27 WHICH WE HOPE WILL BE USEFUL. YOU HAVE APPOINTMENTS WITH HENRICK KWANT, GENERAL MANAGER COMMERCIAL BANK AT 9:00 AM; CHRISTOPHER ARNANDER, MANAGER, KUWAIT FOREIGN TRADING, CONTRACTING AND INVESTMENT COMPANY AT 10:00 AM; ABD AL-LATIF AL-HAMAD OF KIC AT 11:00 (YOU WILL SEE AL-HAMAD AT KUWAIT FUND HEADQUARTERS), MR LINTESAY, MANAGER KUWAIT OFFICE, BANK OF KUWAIT AND MIDDLE EAST AT 12:00 AND MAGDI EL TANAMLI, DEPUTY GENERAL MANAGER, KUWAIT INTERNATIONAL INVESTMENT CO AT 5:00 PM. IN ADDITION, ECONOFF RICHARD BOGOSIAN WOULD BE PLEASED IF YOU COULD ATTEND DINNER PARTY HE GIVING EVENING OF APRIL 27 TO WHICH SEVERAL PROMINENT OFFICIALS, BANKERS AND BUSINESSMEN HAVE BEEN INVITED AND EXPECTED ATTEND. I ALSO PLAN TO BE THERE.

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2. IN DOHA, CHARGE JOHN WHELOCK PLANS MEET MR BALL AT AIRPORT.
SCHEDULE ALLOWS VERY LITTLE TIME FOR APPOINTMENTS, ESPECIALLY
WITH QATARIS WHO TEND TO QUIT WORK ABOUT NOON; HOWEVER, CHARGE
ATTEMPTING ARRANGE APPOINTMENTS WITH SOME COMMERCIAL BANKERS.
IT LIKELY ONLY APPOINTMENTS POSSIBLE WILL BE WITH EUROPEAN
MANAGERS OF FOREIGN BANKS. THERE NO RPT NO INVESTMENT BANKERS
IN DOHA.
STOLTZFUS

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